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Applicant: Peter George Robin Smith et al.
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GRATINGS WITH UV-IRRADIATION
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Sir:

Please amend the application in accordance with the following appended parts:

Amendments to the Specification
Amendments to the Claims
Remarks